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A Note From Pastor Andrew

It's been a while; at least I think so, since I've quoted from one of my favorite authors, Brennan Manning. Recently I have been looking over/rereading some of his books. I've been looking for a bit of solace and peace amidst some unknowns. Among the several good points he makes I was reminded of a practice that can help to relieve some stress while at the same time reminding us to whom we belong. It goes something like this; it's called the breathing prayer. The way you do it is as you breathe in you say the word, "Abba," (the Hebrew name for Father) and as you breathe out you say, "I belong to you." You do this continuously to help relax and release the day's trials and tribulations. It can be used as both a morning prayer and an evening prayer. For a long time I had felt lost as to where God was in the midst of my struggles and I found this helped a great deal. Perhaps it could help you too. Plus it's a bit of a departure from the e-news articles of late and a refocus on God. Something we all need.

Therefore, with that I leave you with two quotes.

My deepest awareness of myself is that I am deeply loved by Jesus Christ and I have done nothing to earn it or deserve it. --Brennan Manning

There is now no condemnation for those who are in Jesus Christ --Romans 8:1

Announcements

Friendship Sunday—October 4

When? Every first Sunday of each month! What? Invite friends, family, co-workers to a free breakfast and an amazing service! Just tell them, "Yummy food, no dishes, no preparation.....then sit down for a relaxing and invigorating service!"

Absolutely Everyone welcome, no matter where, when or how you are in life!

Collecting School Supplies

Thank you for all the school supplies. They were delivered to Mayfield Elementary School!!!!

Bowling League with Grace Church

Bowling will begin on Sunday, September 13 at 12:30 p.m. at Gerlach's Bowling Center. Bowling is every other Sunday.

Please contact Grace Church 664-2841 if you are interested in bowling.

Praise Team

We will be having Praise Team practice every Sunday (except the third Sunday) immediately following worship in September and October. Our first practice will be

September 13. We will then sing on Reformation Sunday, October 25. We welcome new people to try the Praise Team. See Pat Nelson if you have any questions.

Special Music

We are looking for people who would like to share their musical talents with us on Thursday or Sunday during worship. Please see Pastor Andrew if you are interested or if you know of someone that might be interested. Thank you!

Oktoberfest Meal

Please join us on Saturday, October 3 at 5:00 pm for our annual Oktoberfest meal. Everyone is welcome!! Invite friends, neighbors, relatives!!! Please bring a dish to share!!

Church Council

The next Church Council meeting is Sunday, September 20, 2015 at 10:15 a.m. (immediately following worship). We meet the third Sunday of every month. Anyone is welcome to attend.

CTK Teams

All our Team meetings are open to everyone. Please stop in and see what we are doing.

Marketing and Publicity Team

Next meeting is October 1 at 7:15 p.m. We meet the first Thursday of every month.

Fellowship Team

Next meeting is on September 13 at 8:30 a.m. We meet the second Sunday of every month

Outreach Team

Next meeting is September 10 at 7:15 p.m. We meet the second Thursday of every month.

Worship Team

Our next meeting is September 24 at 5:00 p.m. We meet the fourth Thursday of every month.

CTK Small Groups

Women's Bible Study

Please see Linda Hash for time and location.

Sowing Threads of Fellowship

We will resume meeting on Tuesday, October 6 at 7:00 p.m. Sowing Threads of Fellowship meets the first Tuesday of each month in people's homes. We will meet at Nora's home. We welcome new people to join us. Bring your sewing and enjoy fellowship with others!!

Women's Group

Women's group meets the second Tuesday of each month at 6:00 pm at CTK. We share a meal together, share stories and laughter. Come and join us! Please bring a dish to pass. The next meeting is September 15 (the third Tuesday for this month only) at 6:00 pm.

Schedule of Events

Thursday, September 10

5:45 pm Free Meal

6:30 pm Worship

7:15 pm Outreach Team meeting

Sunday, September 13

8:15 am Fellowship

8:30 am Fellowship Team meeting

9:00 am Worship

10:00 am Fellowship

10:00 am Praise Team practice

Tuesday, September 15

6:00 pm Women's group (the third Tuesday for this month only)

Thursday, September 17

5:45 pm Free Meal

6:30 pm Worship

Sunday, September 20

8:15 am Fellowship

9:00 am Worship

10:00 am Fellowship

10:15 am Church Council

Thursday, September 24

5:00 pm Worship Team meeting

5:45 pm Free Meal

6:30 pm Worship

Sunday, September 27

8:15 am Fellowship

9:00 am Worship

10:00 am Fellowship

Thursday, October 1

5:45 pm Free Meal

6:30 pm Worship

7:15 pm Marketing and Publicity Team meeting

Saturday, October 3

5:00 pm Oktoberfest Meal

Sunday, October 4

8:00 am Pancake Breakfast

9:00 am Worship

10:00 am Fellowship

